

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application)	
SAITO <i>et al.</i>)	
Application Number: To be assigned)	Art Unit: 2871
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For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE)	
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Honorable Assistant Commissioner
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Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to an examination on the merits, please amend the above identified application as follows: